

Tippecanoe River State Park

All times are eastern

Nature Center Hours

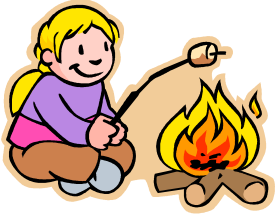
Saturday 10:00AM – 4:00PM * Sunday 9:00AM – 4:00PM

Interpretive Programs

Friday August 21st

6:00PM Roving Naturalist. Look for the naturalist roaming the campgrounds ready to share about Smokey the Bear. Answer a question about Smokey correctly and receive a Smokey sticker.

Location: Campgrounds.



8:00PM- 9:00PM S'mores by the Campfire –Stop by to enjoy a s'more with the naturalist at the family camp host site. Hear the **Legend of the Tippy River** and then learn fun facts about our State Park. **Location: Naturalist Fire Ring near comfort station b and the playground.**

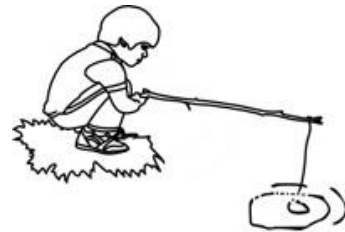
Saturday August 22nd



10:00AM – 3:00PM (\$) **Woodshop** (while supplies last)!! Build your own bird house or bird feeder with a kit we will provide. Walking sticks are also available. Supplies will be available for decorating. Prices vary, Cash only. Adult supervision is required for kids under sixteen.

Location: Nature Center.

10:00AM – 4:00PM Fishing off the Dock. Bring your fishing pole (or borrow one from our Nature Center), collect your worms, and try your luck! Adult supervision is required for kids under sixteen. **Location: Nature Center.**



11:00AM Paint in the park! With painting set up by Laura Newman, local artist. Step by step directions with the end result of your own 8x10. Your painting will be on canvas with all supplies included for only \$10 per person! Beginners welcome. All ages welcome. If the class reaches the limit of 10, another class will start following the first class. **Location: The Nature Center.**



1:00PM – Prescribed Fire on State Parks and Reservoirs. Find out more about prescribed fires in our park, why we have them, and who does it help. Check out our fire tools and equipment on display at the nature center.

Location: Nature Center.



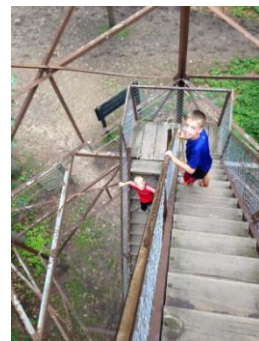


3:00PM A glimpse of Original Indiana. Learn about preservation of pre-settlement of Hoosier Landscapes in Indiana's park system. And a little History of Tippecanoe River State Park. Enjoy some dated pictures of our park.

Location: Nature Center.

5:00PM – 6:00PM A View from the Top. Meet the naturalist and collect some interesting information about one of the few fire towers left in Indiana open to the public! Ask some questions and then take off on your own or with your friends to climb to the highest viewpoint in the park!

Location: Fire Tower Shelter near the bulletin board.

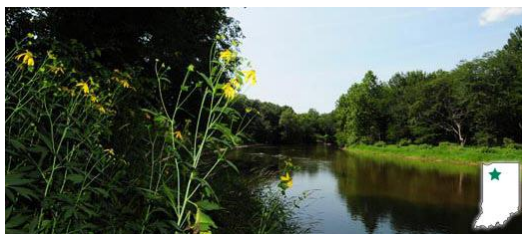


Sunday August 23rd

9:00AM River facts and fun. Coffee and Doughnuts included at the overlook.

Meet the Nature Center staff and learn a little more about the Tippecanoe River. Children must be with an adult.

Location: Nature Center.



9:30AM – 3:00PM Bluebird nesting boxes kits are ready to build!!

Supplies will be available for decorating. Prices vary, Cash only. Adult supervision is required for children under sixteen years old.

Location: Nature Center.

Coming soon...



September 5 in 2015!! See the Beauty of the Sky! Star Gazing Steve and Debbie Russell travel from Indianapolis to share some dramatic sights in the sky with their telescopes. Questions about the event can be answered by messaging on Facebook to Tippecanoe River State Park, calling the Park office at 574-946-3213, or email tippriverinterp@dnr.in.gov. Check out Steve and Debbie Russell's web page at telescopeclinic.com.

September 12th and October 24th Live Animals! Wild about Wildlife!!– With Kim Hoover, a state and federal licensed wildlife rehabber and educator. Kim is the president to a nonprofit group Hoots for Howls. She will be discussing several native animal species and will have some of her wildlife animals with her!! **Location: Naturalist Fire Ring near comfort station b and the playground.**



Friends of the Tippecanoe River Park is a not for profit volunteer organization that supports Tippecanoe River State Park in Winamac, Indiana with conservation activities, education, recreation and historic preservation and promotes the activities of the Park. Meetings are second Tuesday of the month at the Nature Center at 6:30pm. For more information, see the facebook page: Membership is only \$10 per year for individual. www.facebook.com/friendsoftippecanoeriverstatepark or email friendsofTRSP@gmail.com. www.facebook.com/tippecanoeriversp

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